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- Preliminary Amendments

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In response to the "Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. § 371 in the United States Designate/Elected Office", Applicants submit the attached executed Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition for filing in the above-identified application and a copy of the Notification.

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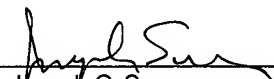
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